

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111  
U.S. APP. NO. 09/485,443**

**REMARKS**

**Summary Of The Office Action**

Claims 1-5 are pending in the application.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims.

Claims 3-5 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, but would be allowable if rewritten in proper form, including all of the limitations presented originally.

**Discussion of the Rejection Under 35 U.S.C. § 112**

In rejecting claim 3 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite, the Examiner suggests alternate language for claim 3. Applicant, however, prefers to use language other than that suggested by the Examiner. Applicant's representative therefore called the Examiner to see if an agreement could be reached on language that would satisfy the Examiner and would accurately define the invention. The Examiner agreed that if claim 3 were to be amended as in the current Amendment, he would allow claims 3-5.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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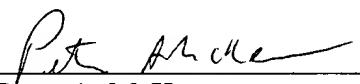
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